

## RULE 60 APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## Prior Application

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## This Application

Attn'y Docket No. NAIR-5Filing Date January 6, 2001THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a request for filing a

☐ CONTINUATION application under 37 CFR 1.60 of pending  
☒ DIVISIONALprior application Serial No. 09/292,358 filed on April 15, 1999  
for: [Title]

by the following named inventor(s):

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1. ☒ Enclosed is a copy of the prior application including the Declaration as originally filed. I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of the prior application Serial No. 09/292,358 as originally filed on April 15, 1999.

2. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

Claims as filed, less any claims cancelled in paragraph 7 below:

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
TOTAL CLAIMS		<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>×\$18</u>	<u>\$ 0</u> → See #7 Next Page.
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS		<u>1</u>		<u>×\$80</u>	<u>0</u>
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)				<u>+\$270</u>	<u>0</u>
				BASIC FEE	<u>+ 710</u>
				Total of above Calculations =	
				Reduction by 1/4 for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.127, 1.28). If applicable, verified statement must be attached.	<u>- 355.00</u>
				TOTAL =	<u>355.00</u>

3. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. N/A. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

4. ☒ A check in the amount of \$355.00 is enclosed.

5. ☐ Priority of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 USC 119.  
(date) (country)

- a) ☐ Certified copy is on file in prior application, Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_.
- b) ☐ Certified copy filed herewith.

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6. ☒ Status as a "small entity" under 37 CFR 1.9:  
a) ☒ was claimed by way of a declaration filed in prior application Serial No. 09/292,358 filed on April 15, '99.  
b) ☐ is claimed by way of the attached declaration.
7. ☒ Cancel following claims before calculating filing fee: claims 2-6, 10-21 and 23-25.
8. ☒ Amend the Specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  
-- This is a ☐ continuation ☒ divisional of application Serial No. 09/292,358 filed April 15, 1999 ☐ which in turn is:
9. ☐ Transfer the drawings for the prior application to this application, and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file.
10. ☒ ~~formal~~ <sup>in</sup> formal drawings are enclosed.
11. ☐ The prior application is assigned of record to:
12. ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
13. ☒ The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to:

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- a. ☒ The power appears in the original papers of the prior application.
- b. ☐ Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
14. ☐ Also enclosed:
15. ☒ Please direct all correspondence concerning this case to: 11620 Masters Run, Ellicott City, MD., 21042.

The undersigned declare further that all statements made herein of his or her own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 or the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Respectfully submitted,  
For: PADMANABHAN P. NAIR  
(Applicant's Name)

Signed this 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
January, 2001

- ☒ Attorney or Agent of record  
☐ Filed under 37 CFR 1.34(a)

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